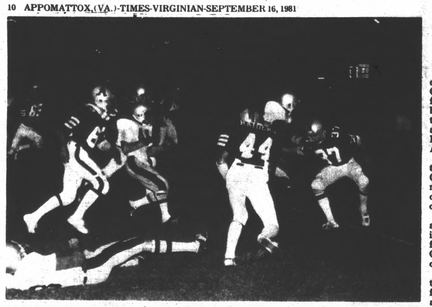

RAIDERS TOMMY SMITH (44) and Alan Edmonds (37) try in vain to stop William Campbell's quarterback Kenny Clark as he scampers toward the Raider end zone for the General's second touchdown against Appomattox Friday night. The Raiders, who played hard-nosed defense, fell victim to the explosive speed of William Campbell's running backs (Photo by Bill Sherrod)

Raiderette Hoopsters

Girls still unbeaten

The varsity Raiderette basketball team remained undefeated last week, with victories number three and four over Jefferson Forest and Nelson County, respectively.

Raiderette Ruby Smith continued to burn up the court, scoring 35 points against Jefferson Forest Tuesday and 24 points against Nelson County in Thursday's game.

Against Jefferson Forest, the Raiderettes jumped out into an early lead, holding a 20-12 advantage at the end of the first quarter, and leading 39-27 as the first half ended.

Smith scored a remarkable 27 points in the first half, including ten field goals and seven of ten freethrows.

In the second half, the Raiderettes extended their lead, scoring 19 points to Jefferson Forest's eight in the third quarter.

In the final period of play, Jefferson Forest outscored the Raiderettes 16-10, but the effort was not enough to overcome the advantage built up by Appomattox throughout the game, and the final score stood at 68-51, win number three for Appomattox.

Lolita Preston joined Smith in the ranks of the Raiderettes scoring in double figures. Rhonda Jaggars scored nine points, Angie Murray scored four, Cheryl Williams and Sandra Watkins each scored three points, and Robin Paulette and Janet Thomas each scored two points in the game.

The Raiderettes hit on 20 of 43 threethrows for a 48 percent foul-shot average. Jefferson Forest was led in scoring by Shirley Campbell and Aumita Austin, with 14 and 10 points respectively. Jefferson Forest hit 13 of 21 freethrow attempts for a 62 percent foul-shot average.

Thursday's 47-35 victory over Nelson County was a tighter contest for the Raiderettes, who for the first time this season went into the locker room at halftime trailing, 20-18.

The game started slower than normal for the hot-handed Raiderettes, who scored ten points in the first quarter, and only eight points in the second period of play. Nelson County scored ten points in the first quarter, and ten more points in the second period.

Raiderette scoring machine Ruby Smith was a fairly well stympied in the first quarter, scoring only one field goal. In the second period, Smith scored two baskets.

In the third period, the Raiderettes broke the game open, scoring 14 points to Nelson County's ten and taking a 32-30 lead. The final period saw the Raiderettes pull even further in front, scoring 15 points to Nelson County's five, and ending the game with a 47-35 advantaze.

Generals fall, 14-0

Jayvees win

The Raider jayvee football team claimed its second consecutive victory Thursday in a hard-fought 14-0 win over William Campbell.

The Raiders scored in the first quarter after a 60-yard drive, when Ronald Kelso plunged across the goal line on a three-yard run off tackle. The Raiders' try for the extra point failed.

It looked as though the game's scoring was complete at this point, as each team showed very strong defensive play. The Raiders' defense was particularly strong, as William Campbell managed only three first downs during the whole ball game, William Campbell's defense was tough also, allowing Appomattox only ten first downs during the contest.

Early in the fourth quarter, the Raiders mounted another drive, which began at midfield. The Raiders advanced the ball toward the General goal, and found themselves with a first down on the four-yard line.

"But the William Campbell defense was tough," comment-

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Generals outlast Raider defense

A tough varsity Raider defense held off William Campbell's explosive offense for three quarters Friday night, but the Generals persevered to score twice in the final period and record a 13-0 Seminole District football victory over Appomattox.

"Our defense was on the field too long," said Coach Gary Cuccio of the Raiders' Friday night contest. "We have a great deal of work to do on our offense," the coach added.

The Raiders escaped what appeared to be a certain score in the waning moments of the first half, when William Campbell fumbled inside the one-yard line.

The Raiders also had a thwarted scoring effort in the first half, when the team advanced to the William Campbell 12-yard line, only to have an eight-yard gain nullified by a penalty, and have their offensive effort die with an unsuccessful field goal attempt.

The teams battled throughout the first half and during the third period, trading interceptions and long gains, but never penetrating their opponents' end zone.

Gymnastics classes slated

Gymnastics classes will be held in Appomattox Sept. 24 through Nov. 12 at the Appomattox Elementary School.

Classes sponsored by the YMCA will be held each Thursday during that time span.

Classes for beginners will be held from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., and from 6:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. Advanced beginner classes will be held from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Intermediate classes will be held from 5:45 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Advanced classes will be held from 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

To register for these classes, call 239-8311.

In the fourth quarter, however, the Generals went to work on the Raider defense and William Campbell quarterback Kenny Clark took the ball 11 yards around right end as the final period began for the Generals' first score.

Clark again scampered around right end for an 18-yard scoring with 1:02 left in the game, to complete scoring for the Generals.

The Raiders gained 184 yards total on offense, including 128 yards rushing, and 61 yards passing.

Dennis Fleshman led Raider runners with 78 yards on 13 carries, followed by Petey McIvor, who recorded 27 yards on seven carries.

The Raiders made five first downs against William Campbell Friday night.

Cuccio noted that the local team has been plagued with injuries and Friday night had problems with penalties.

"Everything is based on execution and timing on offense," said the coach. "I think we are making progress on offense, but we still haven't got our timing down exactly as it should be. I think when all our injuries heal and we have our execution down the way it should be, we will have a well balanced ball team, one which can compete well with any team in the district," the coach noted.

The loss brought the Raiders' record to one win, one loss in the still young season, William Campbell now sports a 1-0-1 record.

This Friday night, an old and intense rivalry will be renewed as the Raiders travel to Rustburg to take on the Red Devils.

Rustburg is currently riding high after a season-opening victory over Jefferson Forest and a win last Friday night against Liberty.

"Rustburg is one of the best teams in the district, and I can guarantee you they'll be tough," said Cuccio Monday morning of this week's game.

The Appomattox-Rustburg game will begin at 8 p.m. Friday night at Rustburg.

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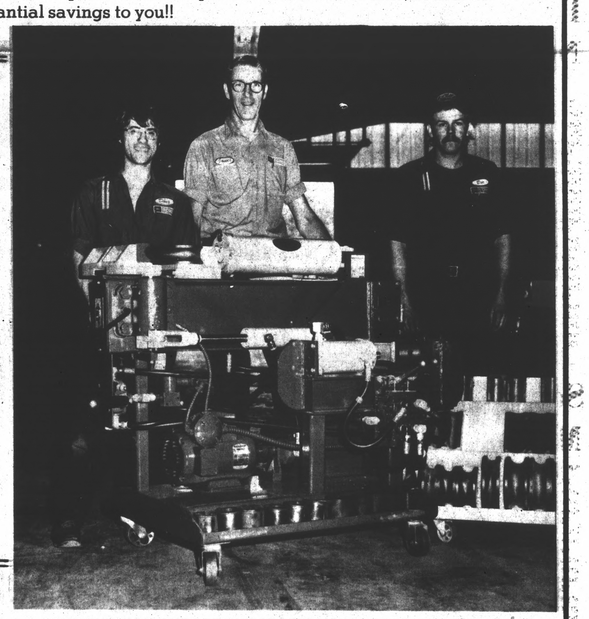

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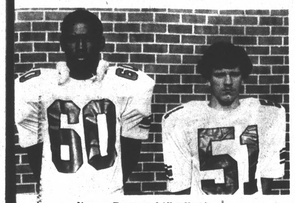

Norman Turner and Allen Hamlett

Dennis Fleshman and Alan Edmonds

Four cited for grid efforts

Norman Turner and Allen Hamlett were named the Raider varsity linemen of the week last week, and Dennis Fleshman and Alan Edmonds were cited as the Raider varsity backs of the week.

The four had outstanding performances in Friday night's hard-fought loss to the Generals of William Campbell.

Turner, named offensive lineman of the week, played "a very aggressive game and did a fine all-around job blocking," according to coach Gary Cuccio.

Hamlett, named defensive lineman of the week, had four tackles, four assists, and exhibited "very good pursuit and penetration," according to Cuccio.

Fleshman, the offensive back of the week, had 78 yards on 13 carries and was the leading ground gainer for the Raiders.

Edmonds, the defensive back of the week, had two tackles, six assists, one interception and a subsequent 30-yard return in Friday night's game.

The linemen of the week will receive a free steak dinner from Jeanne's Restaurant of Appomattox, as well as a free banana split from Dairy Queen of Appomattox. The backs of the week will receive a complimentary whopper, french fries and Coke at the Appomattox Burger King.

MAYOR RONALD SPIGGLE is shown signing a proclamation declaring the week of Sept. 17. through Sept. 23 Constitution Week for Appomattox. The Blue Ridge Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution along with other DAR Chapters and the nation as a whole are observing this week as Constitution Week.

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Anthony Browder

Ricky Turner

Jayvee players

Browder, Turner cited

Anthony Browder and Ricky Turner were named the junior varsity lineman and back of the week, respectively, for their performances in Thursday's grid contest against William Campbell.

Browder blocked well on offense and had eight tackles on defense, according to jayvee coach Howard Clabough. He will receive a free meal donated by the local Burger King.

Turner ran for 65 yards in ten carries and had some key blocks to spring his teammates, according to Clabough. He also excelled at his linebacker slot on defense, according to the coach.

He will receive a free meal compliments of the local Dairy Queen.

PTA meeting

Open House set

The Appomattox Elementary School PTA will hold Open House on September 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the AES auditorium.

All teachers will be present and in their classrooms following the business meeting.

Parents of all AES students are urged to make plans to attend this meeting.

Refreshments will be served following room visitation.

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Jayvees unbeaten

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ed coach Howard Clabough. "Three plays later, we were still on the four-yard line," he said.

On fourth and goal, however, Ronald Kelso took a screen pass from quarterback Paul Johnson and scored the Raiders' second touchdown. Ricky Turner made it 14-0 on a two-point conversion run.

"I was pleased with the way our kids played," Coach Clabough said of the game. "William Campbell was much bigger than our boys, but they didn't hit as hard," added the coach.

Clabough added that "coach John Pettyjohn called a superb defensive game, and the players carried out their assignments extremely well."

Ronald Kelso led all runners with 107 yards on 17 carries, followed by Ricky Turner with 65 yards on 10 carries. Paul Johnson went three for nine passing, including one for a touchdown.

"Defensively, the whole line played well, as did the linebackers," commented coach Clabough. "Lonnie Hamlett, Ronald Kelso, Phil Bollinger, Anthony Browder, Carl Banks, Carroll Patrick and linebackers Ricky Turner and Russell Walton all played well," according to the coach.

He added that the defensive secondary, led by Mike Ferguson, Kinckle Robinson and Paul Johnson, allowed only one pass completion by William Campbell.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Appomattox Board of Zoning Appeals on September 29, 1981, at 10:00 a.m., at the Appomattox Town Office.

Items to be discussed will be a request for a variance in Sections 6-3 and 6-1-4, in the B-1 District, on the Southeast corner of Oakleigh Ave. and Church St., to allow additional floor space to be added in a non-conforming use.

Second request for a variance for set back requirement from 60 feet to 45 feet to match existing structure in R-2 on Northside of Oakleigh Ave. at the intersection of Oakleigh and Harrell St.

Citizens having questions may contact the Zoning Administrator W. R. Britton, Jr. at the Town Office or make written comments to P.O. Box 705, Appomattox, Va. 24522.

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School Menus

Appomattox Elem. School Menu

Wed., Sept. 16 - Spaghetti w/meat sauce, tossed salad w/dressing, buttered corn, sliced pineapple, milk.

Thurs., Sept. 17 - Hot dog on bun, pork & beans, coleslaw, sliced peaches, milk.

Fri., Sept. 18 - Tuna salad on lettuce, sliced bread, mixed greens, macaroni & cheese, applesauce, milk.

Mon., Sept. 21 - Country style steak w/gravy, seasoned greenbeans, whipped potatoes, hot rolls, grape juice, milk.

Tues., Sept. 22 - Sloppy Joe on bun, coleslaw, blackeyed peas, sliced peaches, milk.

Appomattox Middle School Menu

Mon., Sept. 14 - Chuckwagon pattie and gravy, whipped potatoes, green peas, hot roll, milk.

Tues., Sept. 15 - Chili beans, cole slaw, Harvard beets, cornbread, milk.

Wed., Sept. 16 - Barbecued chicken, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, milk, jello.

Thurs., Sept. 17 - Sausage patties, candid yams, pinto beans, roll, milk.

Fri., Sept. 18 - Hot dogs with chili, baked beans, potato rounds, vanilla bar, milk.

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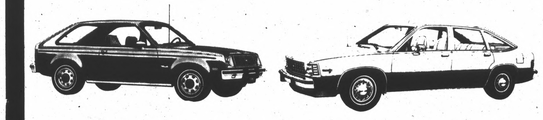

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